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Egg Packaging Centre - Noble Foods, Cotswolds Farm, Witney

Client
Noble Foods

Contractor
Clegg Foods Projects

Architect
Harrison Pitt Architects

Engineer
Westlakes Consulting

Steel Tonnage
360 tonnes

Caunton Engineering supplied the main and secondary steelwork for a Free Range Packing Centre, which used, what was at the time, the latest technology and the most advanced equipment in the global egg industry. This factory aimed to redefine the standard of an egg grading factory and was designed for energy saving and health and safety as a priority.

Caunton supplied the steel framework and metal floor decking to cranked portal frame roof members with a lean to building, which was completed with curved roof and eaves cladding details, alongside the internal mezzanines. There were modifications to the existing building in order to raise the roof in one bay and the steelwork too for the new Gatehouse.

Clegg's business development director, at the time of the project, John Moxon, said: "This was a large scale specialist project and our skills and vast experience of delivering schemes of this size meant that we are ideally placed to meet the requirements of the contract." Caunton have a long history of working with Clegg Food Products.

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